

PATENT APPLICATION  
Atty Docket No. NC 84,088

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: June et al.

Serial No.: 09/027,205

Examiner: P. Gambel

Filed: February 28, 1999

Group Art Unit: 1644

For: METHODS FOR MODULATING EXPRESSION OF AN HIV-1 FUSION CO-FACTOR

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE  
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Office Action mailed 08/13/04 finally rejecting Claims 96, 97 and 99-104.

**STATUS OF APPLICANT**

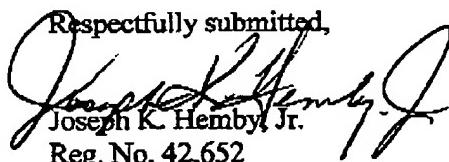
This application is on behalf of the United States America as represented by the Secretary of the Navy. It is not filed on behalf of a small entity.

**FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL**

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$500.00 under 37 CFR 41.20(b)(1) for the filing of the Notice of Appeal to deposit account 140595.

**EXTENSION OF TERM**

An Extension for Response within the Third Month is being filed concurrently. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge the fee of \$1,020.00 under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(3) to deposit account 140595. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due or credit overpayment to deposit account 140595.

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